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Title : Container Including a Slider, a Reclosable Fastener and a
Track Including a Ramp

**REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING BEFORE
THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Commissioner for Patents
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An Oral Hearing is hereby requested before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences in the appeal of the above-identified application.

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Respectfully submitted,
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